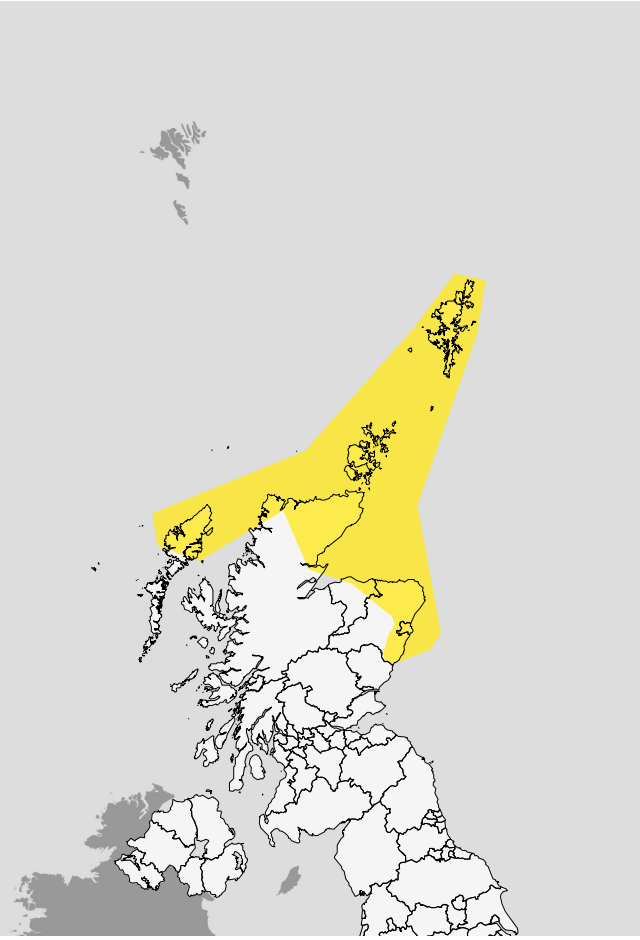
Yellow warning
Wind

Between
10:00 Tue 4 Jan 2022 and
23:59 Tue 4 Jan 2022



Some very strong winds expected to bring some disruption during Tuesday

What to expect

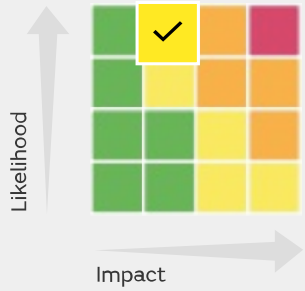
- Some delays to road, air and ferry transport expected
- Delays for high-sided vehicles on exposed routes and bridges
- Some short term loss of power and other services
- Coastal routes, sea fronts and coastal communities will be affected by spray and/or large waves, and there is a risk of coastal flooding in some places.

Further details

An area of strong north or northwesterly winds is expected to strengthen during Tuesday morning bringing gusts of 60-70 mph to exposed coastal parts of northern Scotland. A brief period of gusts of 75-80 mph is possible for Orkney and Caithness around lunchtime on Tuesday.

The winds will then gradually ease from the northwest during the late afternoon and into the evening.

The strong winds will also drive frequent wintry showers across these areas and whilst accumulations are likely to be small the showers will exacerbate difficult conditions.



✓ High likelihood of low impacts

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All regions & authorities affected

Grampian

Aberdeen Aberdeenshire Moray

Highlands & Eilean Siar

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Orkney & Shetland

Orkney Islands Shetland Islands

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